

James Monroe to Thomas Jefferson, December 4, 1793, from Thomas Jefferson and James Monroe Correspondence, Transcribed and Edited by Gerard W. Gawalt, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress

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Dear Sir

I find the establishment of the charge agnst Mr. Genet will depend principally upon what you heard Mr. Dallas say. This latter will deny that he ever said anything like what the certificate states. Jay & King heard it from Hamilton & Knox, these latter from Mifflin & I am told that there is a difference between those gentn. & Mifflin, & likewise between him & Dallas as to what they respectively stated. So that the fact will be disproved aganst them, unless the circumstances they are able to adduce are supported by you. If they procure from the President yr. report to him will not this transfer the business from them to him. I have just heard the above & transmit it for yr. information. Jas. Monroe

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